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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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04/17/01**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
 Small Entity Statement(s)
 Statement filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired.
3. Specification [Total pages 15]
 10 - pages description
 1 - pages abstract
 4 - pages claims 32 - Total claims
4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets]
 Informal Formal [Total drawings]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total pages 2]
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 19 completed)
[Note Box 6 below]
 - i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Incorporation by Reference
(usable if Box 5b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. See 19.
7. Application Data Sheet, See 37 CFR 1.76

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8. CD-ROM or CD-R, in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper (identical to computer copy)
 - c. Statement verifying identity of above

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. Assignment Papers/cover sheet & documents(s)
11. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee)
 Power of Attorney
12. English Translation of Document *(if applicable)*
13. Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449
 Copies of IDS Citations (1)
14. Preliminary Amendment
15. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
16. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
17. Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)(2)(B)(ii)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
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19. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in the body of the application, or a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Divisional of prior application No. :08/896,164, filed on July 17, 1997, entitled *ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ASSOCIATED WITH GASTRIC CANCER AND METHODS FOR DIAGNOSING AND TREATING GASTRIC CANCER*, and now Pending.

Prior application information: *Examiner J. Hunt* **Group Art Unit:** *1642*

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20. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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21. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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Serial No: Not yet assigned

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Fee Calculation Sheet

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEES
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	32-20=	12 x	\$18	= \$ 216.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	5-3=	2 x	\$80	= \$ 160.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +			\$260	= \$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(e))	\$ 710.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 1,086.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$
	Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)				\$
	Other Fees (if any).				\$
				TOTAL =	\$ 1,086.00

1. A check in the amount of \$1,086.00 is enclosed.

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- b. The applicant hereby revokes any prior authorization to charge a fee due under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 1.17 or 1.18.
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